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Roosevelt Determined That California Democrat Shall Be Commerce Commissioner Despite Republican Protests.

The Republic Bureau,
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Washington, Dec. I.—President Roosevelt has announced to White House callers
that he will stand by the nomination of
Franklin Lane of California for Interstate Commerce Commissioner, no matter what opposition to him may develop in the Sen-A fight against confirming Lane will be made by Republican Senators, including Aldrich and Foraker. Their arguments will be put on a party basis. They are much angered that the President seems willing to create a commission in which Democrats will be in the materity.

intimated, however, that certain it is intimated, however, that certain railroad influences are responsible for starting the trouble. Lane is not extractory to the railroads, being, it is said, of a temperament too independent to meet their ideas of proper qualifications for the Senators from California and fillnote, however, will not openly identify themselves with an opposition to the

natter in such a way before he announced the superintment that he accurred
the consent of Senators Filet and Perhins of California to Lane a selection. The
vacancy is that to be caused by the approaching retirement of former Governor
lifer of limits. President Reconveit manipulated the

his compaign for re-election to the Sen-ote, endeavered to urge the President to rame an Illinois man. Lieutenant Gov-

### TO INVESTIGATE NATIONAL BANKS' AID IN POLITICS.

Washington, Dec. : The subject of campaign contributions by insurance companies occupied the major portion of the time of the Senate 18-day. It came up in connection with Mr. Tillman's resolution calling for an investigation of national-banks' aid in politics, and was exploited by the South Carolina Senator in a speech of some length.

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The address dealt with the President's recommendations for the punishment of bribery in elections, with Senator Platt's testimony before the New York Investigating Committee and with various other pertinent matters.

It was concluded in characteristic language and attracted considerable attention. The resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to report a bether the re-ports of the national examiners show that the banks have made compagin contribu-tions in recent years was adopted at the close of Mr. Tillman's remarks.

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Antmore, I. T., Dec. 7.—The announcement that President Rossesselt had sent to the Sense for confirmation the name of Judge Townsend for reappointment as Judge of the Southern District was received here to-night. Antmore is the home of Judge Townsend, and his friends and supporters are to-night celebrating his reseasoning.

Northern District Bench.

REPUBLIC SPECTAL Washington, Dec. 7.—President Roosevelt to-day anonunced the appointment of Laman F. Parker Jr., as Judge of the United States Court for the Northern District of Indian Territory, and William R. Lawrence of Danville, Ill., as Judge of the Western District of the Territory.

The reappointments of Judges Clayton and Townsend to the Southern and Central districts were announced at the same time.

time.

Judge Lawrence has presided over the court of the Northern District. He is a townsman of Speaker Cannon, who interested himself in his transfer to the Western District to succeed Judge C. W. Raymond. This is a promotion in that the Judge of the Western District is a member of the Court of Appeals.

In such an event Herbert Henry Asquill become first Lord of the Treasury the leader of the party in the House of Commins

It is also stated that there is every probability that Winston Churcisil will receive a post in the new Government.

## Initiate 1.115 Publicas

Baltimore Ive I.—This city to-night stepped into a position of national importance in the even of all Knights of Pythias, the local indiges breaking all records by initiating LIS new members of multineessity. The chief softress was delivered by Representative James E. Watson of Indiana.

Ginners' Officials Say Secretary of Agriculture Acted in Bad Paith, by Changing Basis of Es-

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 7.—President Taylor and Secretary Blackweil, in an official circular letter to the members of the National Cotton Ginners' Association under date of December 5, and made public this afternoon, accuse Secretary Wilson of the National Department of Agriculture of acting in bad faith toward them. The letter says, in part:

"Our president, Mr. J. A. Taylor, was in Washington last Monday, Secretary Wilson promised him that the Government report would be based on 599 pounds net lint.

report would be based on 500 pounds net lint.

"About 1 o'clock that day the Government report came out, after our own report was out, and it was announced that the Government report would, be based upon 500 pounds gross bale.

"We have taken the matter up with Secretary Wilson to find out why this change was made at the eleventh hour." In speaking of the matter to-night Secretary Blackwell said:

"Had Mr. Wilson done as he promised—that is, used 300 pounds net instead of 500 pounds gross to the bale—the Government estimate would have been lers thun \$1.000 bales more than our estimate, but as it now is, the Government estimate exceeds the ginners' association estimate by more than half a million bales.

**GINNERS ESTIMATE COTTON CROP AT 9,623,000 BALES.** 

REPUBLIC SPINIAL

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 7.—The report on the condition of the cotton crop by States and the amount of the staple gruned, as prepared by the National Ginners' Association, after being delayed two days on account of a misunderstanding between Secretary Blackwell and President Taylor, has been made public. The following in the report, which was released for publication this afternoon:

To the Ginners of the South: Reports sent us from the whole beit, every post office represented, indicates a total crop of \$22.000 nales, with 1,000,000 per cent picked and \$8 per cent ginned. The crup \$1.6 per cent picked and \$1.000 per cent picked. Arkansas—Ginned, 1,000,000 per cent picked. Georgia—Ginned, 1,000,000 per cent picked. Georgia—Ginned, 1,000,000 per cent picked. Indian Territory—Ginned, 12,000,000 per cent picked. Indian Territory—Ginned, 12,000,000 per cent picked. Louisians—Ginned, 13,000,000 per cent picked. Louisians—Ginned, 130,000,000 per cent picked. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

J. A. TATLOR, President, N. T. Blackwell, Secretary. **DEPOSITS TO RELIEVE** 

naw Considers Advisability of Di tributing \$20,000,000 if Stringency Continues.

Washington. Dec. 7.—Although Secretary Shaw declines to make any statement on the subject, it is known that he is giving serious thought to the question of making temporary deposits in some of the banks in the principal cities with a view to relieving the money situation. It is understood that in case the present stringency continues and threatens seriously to affect interests outside of the speculative market deposits aggregating \$29,000,000 will be distributed among the leading banks in some of the largest cities.

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MAY HAVE FORMED COMPACT. TO DIE

# COUPLE'S DEATH CAUSED BY GAS;

Statement by H. B. Keith Leads to Theory That Alonso C. Conaway and Annie Mitchell Decided to Commit Suicide-Found Dead in Rooming-House After Night's Debauch-Tube Attached to



Conaway asked Mrs. Catheart to call him at 6 o'clock.
"If I should fall to get up," he said. "I will lose my job, so don't fail to waken

Alongo C. Conaway, employed in the executive department of the Dittman Shoe Company. Eleventh street and Washington avenue, and Annie Mitchell, formerly of Dexter. Mo., began a debauch Wednesday night which ended in death.

In a room on the third floor of a lodginghouse at No. 222 Washington avenue the lifeless body of Conaway and the Mitchell woman were found at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after Mrs. Lee Catheart, the proprietor, attracted by the strong odor of gas, had forced open the door of the foom.

The tube attached to a gas stove had been released and the gas was so strong that it almost stiffed Mrs. Catheart.

Whether Conaway and the woman committed suicide, or death was the result of the couple's ignorance in manipulating the gas stove, are questions that the police cannot solve. The victims left no evidence to support the theory of suicide.

Mrs. Mitchell had been in St. Louis several months, and according to those who knew her, was a divorced woman. Her family is well known in Dexter, and it is said that they were under the impression that the was employed.

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MONEY FOR RELIEF FUND.

Many Additional Subscriptions for the Russian Jews.

Justice of Northern Territory District—Parker Succeeds to Northern District Bench.

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Consway and Mrs. Mitchell were seen they itended a room from the subscriptions of the Russian relief fund yesterday, the total cellected to date amounting to \$2.50. The additional donations reported are as follows:

Beth Melinth Hagglet Congregation, \$20; in him at 6 o'clock. lington, of Dexter, Mo., has been notified of the death. Mrs. Mitchell was 31 years old. Com-

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Riders Remain For Bohind Record to Six-Day Race.

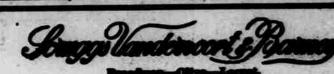
New York, feet 8 - In spite of several sprints of the riders in the six-day race at Madison Square Garden, the Redell brethers, riding as the Long Island team, still retained, at 1 o'clock this morning, their lead of one lap.

Except for the obcassional sprints the pace remains very sion and the offering of special pries for the leaders of each lap has failed to bring the contestants any nearer the records of former years. The relative positions of the ten teams still in the race have undergone no change during the last thirty hours.

The score at 1 s. m.

Boot-Physic, 15th Accrate Logan, 15th Hopper-Stolker, 15th Galum McIsensid, 15th Hornor, 15th Lowense, 15th Hornor, 15th Lowense, 15th Hornor, 15th Lowense, 15th Hornor, 15th Lowense, 15th Hopper-Stolker, 15th Galum McIsensid, 15th Hopper-Stolker, 15th Hopper-Stolker, 15th Galum McIsensid, 15th Hopper-Stolker, 15th Galum McIsensid, 15th Hopper-Stolker, 15th Galum McIsensid, 15th Hopper-Stolker, 15t

Washington, Dec. 7.—The Senate in ex-ecutive sension to day raiffied the entra-dition treaty between the United States and Denmark, sensed on November 4, 200



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Newspapers, with scarcely any exception, join in the anti-Witte how!. The tieser of their angry chorus is that a conditution was given five weeks ago, and up to now nothing definite has been done in the way of materializing that manifesto, which was supposed to give liberty and the franchise to all Russians.

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Thave done what I could to save yet, and you are passing and you are passing and you are passing to be a Liberal while heige, in reality, nothing of the kind. It is interesting to know what Count Witte and order at a moment when a political typhoon has struck unhapty Russia, is realized in a startling manner. It has brought terror and almost pasic to those who believed in the accepted principles of law and order and fractors in its truest mass.

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